

Chambers of Senior Judge John Lawrence Kane *continued*

Government: Deputy District Attorney, State of Colorado (1961-1962); Public Defender, Adams County, State of Colorado (1964-1967); Deputy Director, Eastern Region of India, Peace Corps (1967-1969)

Legal Practice: Gaunt, Byrne & Dirrim (1961-1962); Partner, Andrews & Kane (1963-1964); Partner, Holme Roberts & Owen LLP (1970-1977)

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Zita L. Weinshienk

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933
Education: Arizona 1955 BA; Harvard 1958 JD
Began Service: October 10, 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Judicial: Probation Counselor, Legal Advisor and Referee, Denver Juvenile Court (1959-1964); Judge, Denver Municipal Court (1964-1965); Judge, Denver County Court (1965-1971); Judge, Denver District Court (1972-1979)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; Executive Committee, American Bar Association; Colorado Bar Association; Colorado Bar Foundation, Colorado Bar Association; Denver League of Women Voters; Federal Judges Association; Harvard Law School Association; United States District Judges Association of the Tenth Circuit; Women's Forum of Colorado

Staff

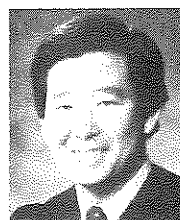
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Michael J. Watanabe
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: February 12, 1999
Term Expires: February 2015

**Staff**

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Boyd N. Boland
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1954
Education: Columbia 1980 JD
Began Service: February 2000
Term Expires: February 2008

Academic: Assistant Professor, Mississippi College School of Law (1984-1985)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Paul V. Hodges, Colorado Supreme Court (1980-1981)

Legal Practice: Holme Roberts & Owen, LLP (1981-1984); Holme Roberts & Owen, LLP (1985-2000)

Current Memberships: American Intellectual Property Law Association; The American Law Institute

Staff

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Craig B. Shaffer
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1954
Education: Tulane 1979 JD
Began Service: January 18, 2001
Term Expires: January 18, 2009

Government: United States Department of Justice (1983-1991)

Legal Practice: Dufford & Brown, P.C. (1991-1999); Giles, O'Keefe, Vermeire & Gorrel, LLP (2000-2001)

Military Service: United States Navy JAG Corps (1979-1983)

Staff

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Michael E. Hegarty
Magistrate Judge

Government: Deputy Chief, Civil Division, Department of Justice; Chief, Civil Division, Colorado District, United States Department of Justice

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Kristen L. Mix

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Kristen L. Mix
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: August 2007
Term Expires: August 2015

Staff

Law Clerk **Jill Beaird** (303) 844-3433
Began Service: August 2007
Term Expires: August 2008
Law Clerk **Katie Bostwick** (303) 844-3343
Began Service: August 2007
Term Expires: August 2008

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David L. West

Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Began Service: 2004
Term Expires: January 2008

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (part-time) Gudrun J. Rice

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Gudrun J. Rice

Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1943
Education: Smith 1965 BA; Denver 1973 JD
Began Service: February 7, 2001
Term Expires: February 6, 2009
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Affiliation: Shareholder, Withers, Seidman, Rice & Mueller, P.C.; Trustee, Board of Trustees, County of Mesa, Colorado

Government: Volunteer, Peace Corps (1973-1975); Deputy District Attorney, Seventh Judicial District, State of Colorado (1977-1981)

Judicial: District Court Referee/Juvenile Commissioner, 7th Judicial District, State of Colorado (1982-1984)

Current Memberships: Colorado Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Mesa County Bar Association

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Number of Judgeships: 5

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Howard R. Tallman

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Denver 1975 JD; Colorado 1984 MBA
Began Service: December 2002
Term Expires: December 2016

Government: Assistant U.S. Trustee, Colorado/Kansas, United States Department of Justice, Jimmy Carter Administration (1980-1986); U.S. Trustee, Region 19, United States Department of Justice (2000-2002)

Legal Practice: Holland & Hart LLP (1986-1995); Block Markus & Williams, LLC (1995-2000)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; Colorado Bar Association; Faculty of Federal Advocates; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

Staff

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Sidney B. Brooks
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Denver 1967 BA, 1971 JD
Began Service: 1988
Term Expires: 2016

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; Colorado Bar Association; Denver Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Robert Lantz** (720) 904-7338
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Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge A. Bruce Campbell

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A. Bruce Campbell
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Cornell 1970 JD
Began Service: March 22, 2001
Term Expires: March 21, 2015

Staff

Courtroom Deputy **Teri Hammack** (720) 904-7358